

CLOVER CHRONICLE

St John 4-H

September 2017

Welcome Back Students!!!!

Another year of fun and excitement as we come back to school for the 2017-2016 school year. This school year 4-H is implementing new and exciting programs and contest for all the students to enter and enjoy, not to mention win great prizes. So

4-H Jr. Leader Enrollment

Any student from grades 7th—12th that are interested in becoming Jr. Leaders, please contact Coach Dwayne Davis or Patti Rodrigue at PRO-DRIGUE@stjohn.k12.la.us.



On July 19, 2017, Ms. Clifton along with 5 chaperones took 12 4-H students to the Infinity Science Center in Pearlington, MS for a trip to Infinity Science Center. The 4-H students toured the NASA Stennis Space Center test site. The trip included a guided, behind-the-scent bus tour of Stennis Space Center, including NASA and its resident tenant Federal, State and commercial labs and offices. The 4-H students were able to interact in exhibits and activities, live presentations and digital movies in INFINITY'S domed theater.

Some of the things that the 4-H students learned on the tour included: as of September 2014 there have been 40 missions to Mars, including orbiters, landers and rovers but not counting flybys. The most recent arrivals include the Mars Curiosity mission in 2012, the MAVEN mission, which arrived on September 22, 2014, followed by the Indian Space Research Organization's MOM Mangalyaan orbiter, which arrived on September 24, 2014.

The 4-H students really enjoyed the tour to Infinity Science Center. Questions were asked to the tour guide about going to space and the space ships. The 4-H'ers even asked Ms. Clifton when the next 4-H trip

Infinity Science Center 4-H Trip

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4-H Summer Camp

4-H Dues and Enrollment Cards Due

4-H Leaders, 4-H Dues and Enrollment Cards are due on **October 31, 2017**. Please make every effort to get your dues and enrollment cards to the 4-H office by this date so that we can have our numbers for reporting. If you have any questions, please call the 4-H office at 985-497-3261.

National 4-H Week

National 4-H Week is **October 1—7, 2017**. During this week, all 4-H clubs are asked to do an act of kindness at their school and send pictures and descriptions to the facebook page or email. Do something nice for someone in your school or neighborhood. Pictures and descriptions will be due October 6!

WEAR GREEN & WHITE
MAKE POSTERS & SIGNS
SPREAD THE 4-H CHEER
GET THE SCHOOL INVOLVED
DO A CRAZY HAIR CONTEST

SCHOOL SPIRIT CONTEST
OCT 5th
Decorate your school halls & yard
Get ready for judging Oct 5
Win Club Points!



4-H University

Pumpkin Decorating Contest

It is time again to get ready for the Pumpkin Decorating Contest to be held at each school this year. If you know that you can decorate the best pumpkin, then, I ask you to **CARVE IT** and show us what you can do. Remember prizes will be given to the winners at each school. **MAY THE BEST PUMPKIN WIN!!!!!! GOOD LUCK EVERYONE!!!!!!**





4-H CHALLENGE

CAMP 2017

7th & 8th Graders can sign up for Outdoor Overnight Fun at the Southeast Region

CHALLENGE CAMP!

Nov. 1-3 at

Lion King Retreat Center

Amite, LA

We will leave Wednesday after school and return by Friday morning. Students are excused from school.

Sign up with 4-H Agent
before October 13th.

4-H Catch-Phrase Contest!

What is a good theme for camp for 4-H Summer Camp? Send us your most creative ideas for a slogan in 7 words or less. The contest is open to all 4-H Club members. The winning slogan will be one that is brief and “catchy,” capturing the spirit of 4-H Camp Grant Walker. The slogan will be on all publicity for camp and on the camp T-shirt and the winner will receive a monetary award.

Deadline: Thursday, October 26

Submission must include:

- Full name and age of club member
 - Parish/4-H club
- Complete mailing address
 - Telephone number

Berry Banana Popsicles

Ingredients:

1 cup strawberries, diced
1 medium banana, diced
2 cups nonfat vanilla yogurt

Instructions:

Stir all ingredients together in a medium bowl.
Pour mixture into popsicle molds.
Freeze for at least 6 hours.
Run molds under hot running water until popsicles can pull out easily to serve.

Tips:

You do not need popsicle molds to make this recipe. Use small paper cups and wooden popsicle sticks instead.
Blend all ingredients in blender until smooth. Pour mixture into popsicle molds.
Try with blackberries, blueberries, cherries, or raspberries.



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St. John Parish 4-H

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Facebook Contest!

Make sure you have liked the St. John

Parish 4-H page! There will be an enrollment status posted about joining St John 4H.

Share the status and whomever has the most likes on their share will win a \$10 gift card to Walmart!



Be sure to follow the page for more information on what is

4-H night with the Tigers!

Who: Everyone is invited to cheer on the LSU tigers with 4-H

When: Saturday, September 30th

Join Louisiana 4-H and the College of Agriculture for a tailgate



in Parker Coliseum before the game. Enjoy free food, games, &

4-H Member of the Month

Coy Vedol

Coy Vedol is a 12th grader at East St John High School. He was elected this past 4-H University as Southeast Representative on the Executive Board. He is a valuable member to St John 4-H and East St John High as he served as Vice President of East St John High Club and President of the St John Jr Leaders. He is always ready for the next task in 4-H and willing to help in anyway he can. Thank you for being a member of St John 4-H! Congratulations on your success and

4-H Volunteer of the Month

Patti Rodrigue!

A 4-H program is nothing without the help of great volunteers. This months volunteer of the month is Patti Rodrigue! She helps the Jr Leaders grow, learn to serve others. One of the events she assists her Jr Leaders to help is the Ag Day at the Fast food farm. She is always organizing fundraisers for the 4-Hers including places like Raising Canes and Tractor supply. Thank you for being an amazing 4H volunteer to aspire to.